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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Applicant of
Applicant: CHO, Yong-Jun
Serial No: 10/040,567
Filed: 01/07/2002
For: Semi Sandwich Panel
Examiner: Steven M. Marsh

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37CFR 1.136(a)

The Honorable Commissioner
of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

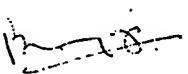
Applicant herewith petitions the Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks under the provisions of 37CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application to the Office Action(a copy of which is attached) dated December 12, 2002 for one month extension from March 18, 2003 to April 18, 2003 to avoid abandonment.

The appropriate non-entity fee for the requested extension of time for one (1) month under 37 CFR 1.17 (a) (1) is \$110.00.

In the event that the above requested one month extension of time is insufficient , the applicant respectfully requests that the Commission of Patents and Trademarks grants an added two (2) or three (3) month extension of time, as may be required.

The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is hereby authorized to charge the fee above for the extension of time to Deposit Account No. 50-1092, or any additional fees that may be required for filing a sufficient extension to submit the required Declaration.

A duplicate copy of this request is enclosed.


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Office Action Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)	
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	Examiner	Art Unit	
	Steven M Marsh	3632	

— The MAILING DATE of this communication appears on the cover sheet with the correspondence address —
Period for Reply

A SHORTENED STATUTORY PERIOD FOR REPLY IS SET TO EXPIRE 3 MONTH(S) FROM THE MAILING DATE OF THIS COMMUNICATION.

- Extensions of time may be available under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a). In no event, however, may a reply be timely filed after SIX (6) MONTHS from the mailing date of this communication.
- If the period for reply specified above is less than thirty (30) days, a reply within the statutory minimum of thirty (30) days will be considered timely.
- If NO period for reply is specified above, the maximum statutory period will apply and will expire SIX (6) MONTHS from the mailing date of this communication.
- Failure to reply within the set or extended period for reply will, by statute, cause the application to become ABANDONED (35 U.S.C. § 133).
- Any reply received by the Office later than three months after the mailing date of this communication, even if timely filed, may reduce any earned patent term adjustment. See 37 CFR 1.704(b).

Status

1) Responsive to communication(s) filed on 07 January 2002.
 2a) This action is FINAL. 2b) This action is non-final.
 3) Since this application is in condition for allowance except for formal matters, prosecution as to the merits is closed in accordance with the practice under *Ex parte Quayle*, 1935 C.D. 11, 453 O.G. 213.
Disposition of Claims
 4) Claim(s) 1-7 is/are pending in the application.
 4a) Of the above claim(s) _____ is/are withdrawn from consideration.
 5) Claim(s) _____ is/are allowed.
 6) Claim(s) 1-7 is/are rejected.
 7) Claim(s) _____ is/are objected to.
 8) Claim(s) _____ are subject to restriction and/or election requirement.

Application Papers

9) The specification is objected to by the Examiner.
 10) The drawing(s) filed on 07 January 2002 is/are: a) accepted or b) objected to by the Examiner.
 Applicant may not request that any objection to the drawing(s) be held in abeyance. See 37 CFR 1.85(a).
 11) The proposed drawing correction filed on _____ is: a) approved b) disapproved by the Examiner.
 If approved, corrected drawings are required in reply to this Office action.
 12) The oath or declaration is objected to by the Examiner.

Priority under 35 U.S.C. §§ 119 and 120

13) Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).
 a) All b) Some * c) None of:
 1. Certified copies of the priority documents have been received.
 2. Certified copies of the priority documents have been received in Application No. _____.
 3. Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have been received in this National Stage application from the International Bureau (PCT Rule 17.2(a)).
 * See the attached detailed Office action for a list of the certified copies not received.
 14) Acknowledgment is made of a claim for domestic priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(e) (to a provisional application).
 a) The translation of the foreign language provisional application has been received.
 15) Acknowledgment is made of a claim for domestic priority under 35 U.S.C. §§ 120 and/or 121.

Attachment(s)

1) Notice of References Cited (PTO-892)
 2) Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948)
 3) Information Disclosure Statement(s) (PTO-1449) Paper No(s)

4) Interview Summary (PTO-413) Paper No(s). _____.
 5) Notice of Informal Patent Application (PTO-152)
 6) Other

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